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## Fourth Annual Fishing Fest Features Fun for All!

**PHILADELPHIA** – The Philadelphia Water Department will host a FREE and fun Fishing Fest on Saturday September 22, from 7 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. The Fishing Fest is for any age and ability and a fishing license is not required. In addition, fishing gear will be on loan on a first-come, first-served basis, and there will prizes given out an awards ceremony at 12:00 noon at each of the following fishing locations along the Schuylkill River:

- 1. East Park Canoe House South of the Strawberry Mansion Bridge
- 2. On the Banks of the Schuylkill River between Vine Street and Chestnut Street
- 3. East Falls Bridge and Route 1 Overpass

Register for this great family event at, <a href="http://www.phillyriverinfo.org/fishingfest/">http://www.phillyriverinfo.org/fishingfest/</a>
Don't miss out on a fun-filled day of fishing, fun and prizes as well as learning all about the fish that live in the Schuylkill River. So come out, learn something new, meet new friends and relax on the banks of the scenic Schuylkill River.

After honing your fishing skills, bring your family to the Fairmount Water Works Interpretive Center, the Philadelphia Water Department's premier regional environmental education center, located at 640 Water Works Drive. The hours for the Interpretive Center are Tuesday through Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., and Sunday from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. The Center is closed on Mondays and City holidays. All programs are free of charge and suitable for people of all ages and interests. The Center is fully ADA accessible. For more information about the Interpretive Center programs, visit www.fairmountwaterworks.org or call 215-685-0723.